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1. Nadolny, the former German Ambassador in Moscow, is working as an informant on German affairs for Molotov. The basis of his work is, according to an explanation given by himself to subsource, a relation of "almost friendship" between him and Molotov whom he knew personally over a long period. Nadolny, now 70 years old, is persuaded that he has "a strong voice" (i.e., weighty influence) with the Russians and that his advice is being carefully taken into consideration.
2. Before taking on the job as informant, he advanced the condition that he be granted complete freedom in his advice and utterances without interference or pressure from Russian authorities, so he told subsource. Up to the present (15 February 1947), the Russians have fulfilled this agreement in a very fair way, according to Nadolny. The Russians know, so he declared, that he always advocated close cooperation between Germany and Russia.
3. In all matters of importance to the Russians concerning Germany, Nadolny's advice is sought. He furnishes it either orally or by delivering a memorandum to Karlovskoye.

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